

# Integrated Financial Management Program

Core Financial

Course Name: Operating and Phasing Plans

Module 2: Phasing Plans

Course Guide



National Aeronautics and Space Administration

# Introduction

This course guide serves as the foundation for delivering training.

#### Course Structure

This course covers the basic SAP functionality that is needed to perform specific activities. Information beyond the scope of this class may be obtained from the On-Line Quick Reference (OLQR) tool or from designated Super-users.

#### Trainer Role

A trainer role in this training session is to:

- Provide end-users with the information they will need to learn the new skill set
- Provide end-users with guidance and coaching as they learn the new skills
- Maximize the hands-on practice time
- Ensure the objectives of the module are met
- Answer questions as completely as possible

## End-user Role

An end-user's role in this training session is to:

- Participate in order to understand new roles, SAP concepts, processes, and principles presented
- Ask questions, when clarification is needed
- Complete all activities/exercises

## Module Significance

SAP provides an automated means to prepare, record, and maintain Phasing Plan versions within the Funds Management (FM) and Project Systems (PS) modules on a monthly basis.

#### Module Structure

This module is structured so that the amount of hands-on practice utilizing SAP is maximized. Each of the topics is organized around the following structure:

#### Content

Lecture material is provided by the trainer on new roles, SAP concepts, processes, and principles.

# Content Review

The trainer reviews key topic information at the conclusion of each topic.

#### Scenario

The trainer provides a description of a typical situation that will be used to practice the business activity within SAP.

Scenario Example: An analysis has been conducted and Phasing Plan values have been approved for entry into SAP. The values need to be revised. Update the initial Phasing Plan, including **all elements**, using the same version (version XX) as the original entry.

## **Demonstration**

Trainer shows end-users how to perform the business activity in SAP.

#### Exercise

End-users practice the activity in the SAP training database.

# Agenda

- Introduction and Background Knowledge 0:15 hr
- Topic 1: Overview of Agency Phasing Plan Process and Version Control– 1:30 hr
  - Activity 1: Determine Phasing Plan Version(s) (Manual) 0:30 hr
  - Activity 2: Notify Project Planner of Plan Version(s) for Phasing Plans (Manual) 0:30 hr
  - Activity 3: Notify System Administrator to Lock/Unlock Phasing Plan Version(s) (Manual) 0:30 hr
- Topic 2: Establishing and Modifying Phasing Plans 2:00 hr
  - Activity 1: Determine Phasing Plan Version(s) (Manual) 0:05 hr
  - Activity 2: Notify Project Planner of Plan Version(s) for Phasing Plans (Manual) 0:05 hr
  - Activity 3: Record Actuals to Phasing Plans 1:50 hr
- Course Summary 0:15 hr
- Total 4:00 hrs